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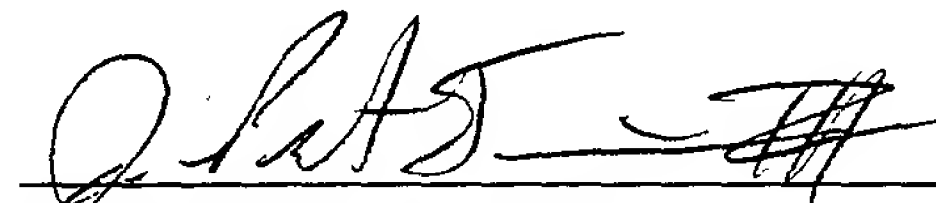
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In response to the Notice of Allowability mailed February 27, 2001, please substitute the enclosed 2 sheets of formal drawings for the corresponding drawings presently in the application.

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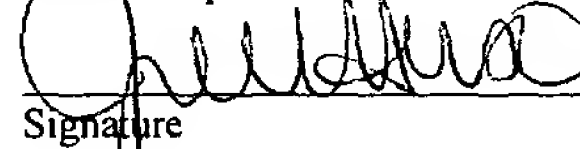
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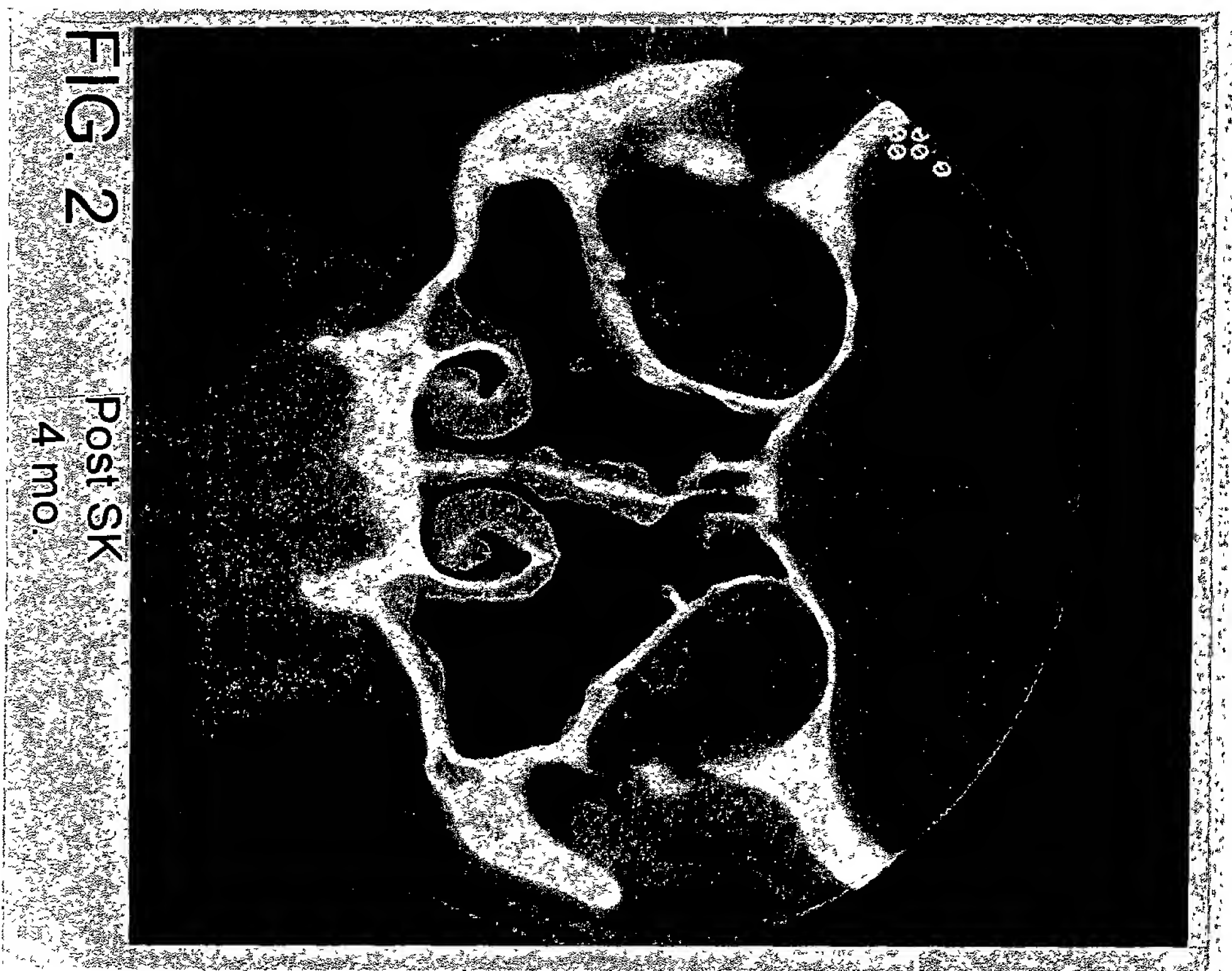
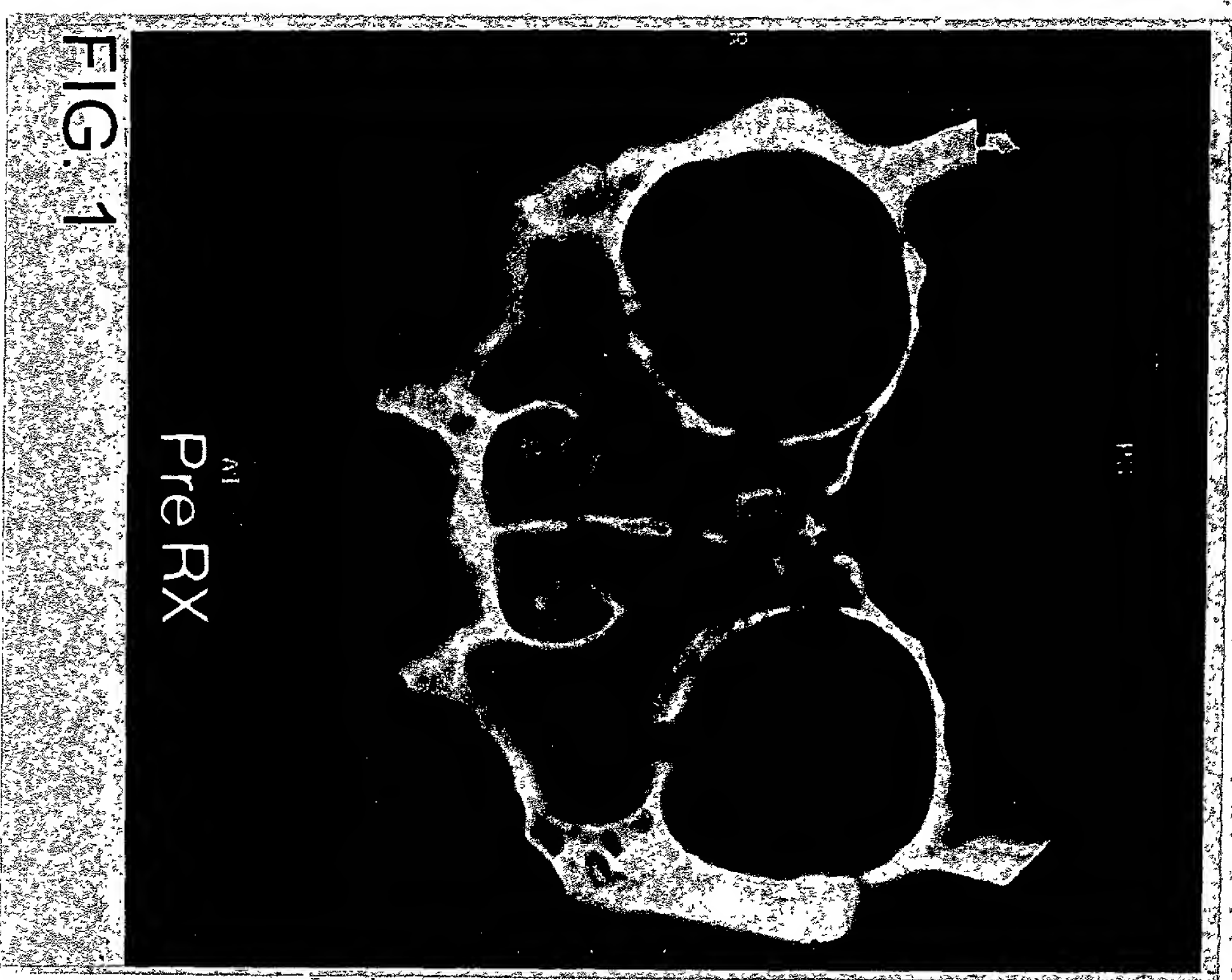


FIG. 1. Pre-operative skull radiograph.

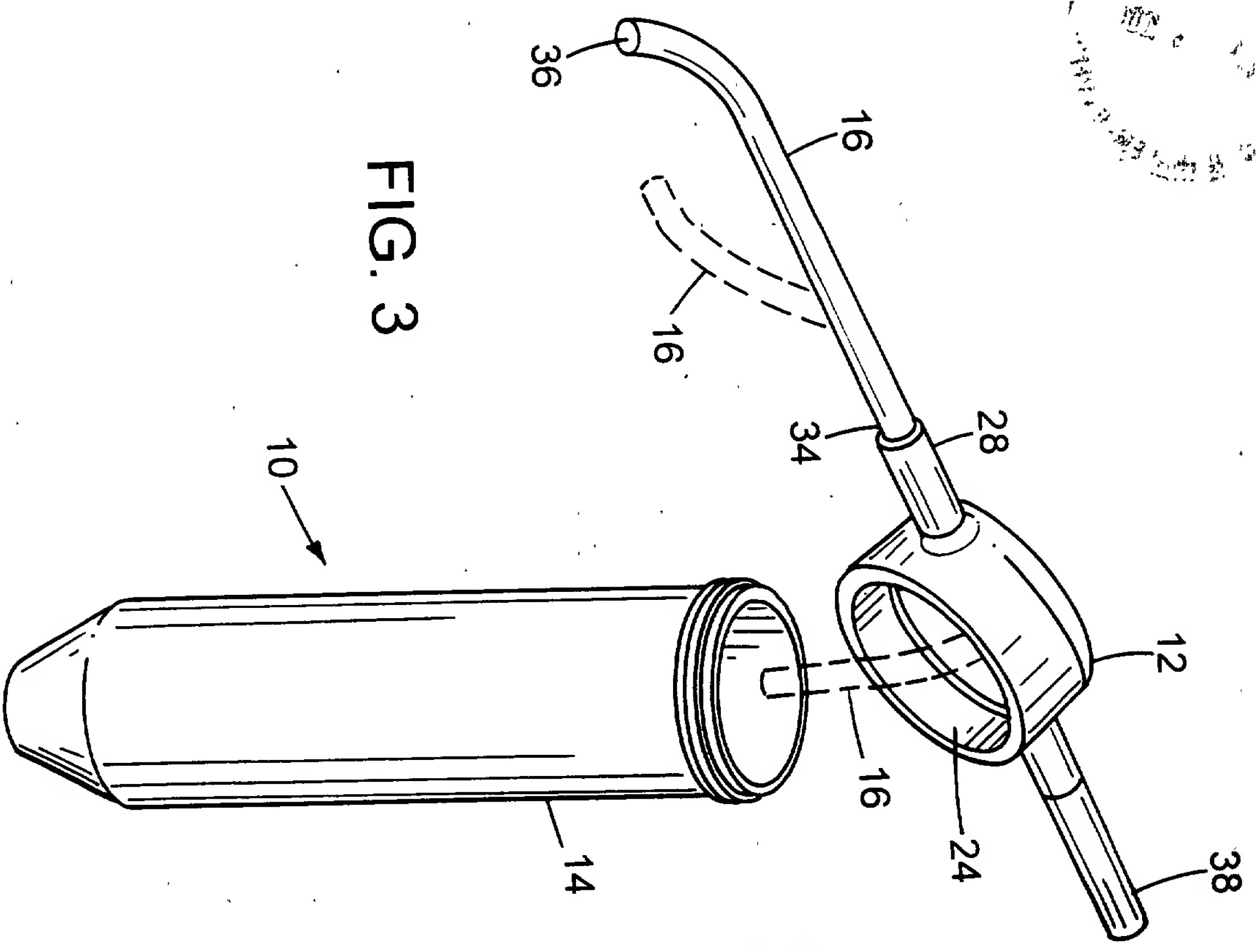


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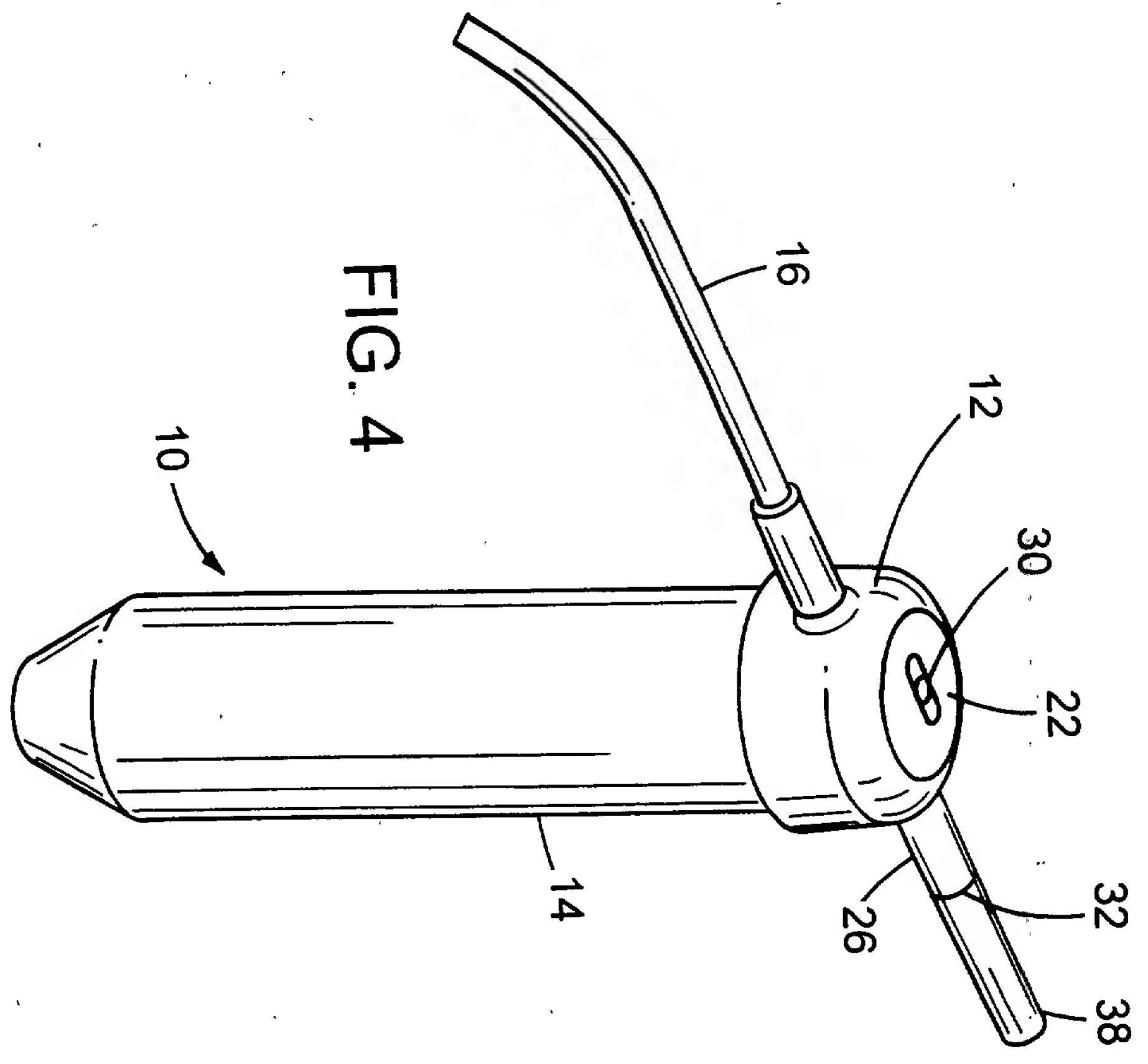


FIG. 4

FIG. 3 is an exploded perspective view of the device 10.